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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 30, 1987

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ARTHUR B. CULVAHOUSE, JR. *ABC*
COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: Nomination of Samuel A. Alito
to be United States Attorney
for the District of New Jersey

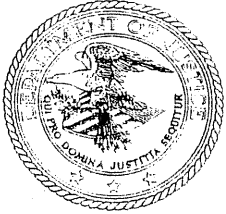
The Attorney General, Deputy Attorney General, William L. Ball III, Arthur B. Culvahouse, Jr., Frank J. Donatelli, and Robert H. Tuttle recommend that you nominate Samuel A. Alito to be United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey. Since March 18, 1987, Mr. Alito has served as the Interim United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey. Prior to that appointment, he served as Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice, 1987; an Assistant to the the Solicitor General, Department of Justice, 1981-1987; an Assistant United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey, 1977-1981; and a law clerk to the Honorable Leonard I. Garth, United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit, 1976-1977. He served in the United States Army Reserve from 1972-1980. Mr. Alito received an A.B. degree in 1972 from Princeton University and a J.D. degree in 1975 from Yale Law School. He was admitted to the State of New Jersey Bar in 1975 and the State of New York Bar in 1982. Mr. Alito is 37 years old, married, has one child and resides in Bethesda, Maryland.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. That you sign the nomination at Tab A.

Announced: 8/3/87
To Senate: 8/3/87

VOTED
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Office of the Attorney General
Washington, D. C. 20530

July 6, 1987

TODH-7/6/87-5:15PM

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WHEN THIS IS SIGNED

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Dear Mr. President:

I have the honor to enclose the nomination of Samuel A. Alito, Jr., of New Jersey to be the United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey for the term of four years, *VICE W. HUNT*
DUMONT, RESIGNED

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Respectfully,

Edwin Meese III

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Attorney General

The President

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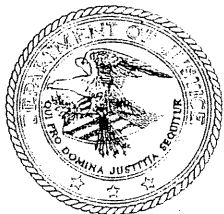
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July 31, 1987

NOTE FOR MARLIN FITZWATER

We have double-checked these with Legislative Affairs and Counsel. This is ready for review at the 8:00 operations meeting.

Rhett B. Dawson



Office of the Attorney General
Washington, D. C. 20530

Press Office

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SAMUEL A. ALITO, JR.

Born: April 1, 1950 Trenton, New Jersey

Marital Status: Married Martha Ann Bomgardner
One Child

Education: 1972 A.B. Princeton University
1975 J.D. Yale Law School

Bar: 1975 State of New Jersey
1982 State of New York

Military Service: U.S. Army Reserves, 1972-1980

Experience: 1976-1977 Law Clerk
Honorable Leonard I. Garth
U.S. Court of Appeals
for the Third Circuit
1977-1981 Assistant U.S. Attorney
District of New Jersey
1981-1985 Assistant to the Solicitor
General
Department of Justice
1985-1987 Deputy Assistant Attorney
General
Office of Legal Counsel
Department of Justice
March 18, 1987 United States Attorney
District of New Jersey
Attorney General
Interim Appointment

Ethnic: Caucasian

Salary: \$75,500

Office: United States Attorney's Office
Federal Building
970 Broad Street, Room 502
(FTS) 348-2760

Residence:

(201) 228-0525

UNDER CONSIDERATION FOR APPOINTMENT AS
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY



Office of the Attorney General
Washington, D. C. 20530

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Marital Status:	Married	Martha Ann Bomgardner One Child
Education:	1972	A.B. Princeton University
	1975	J.D. Yale Law School
Bar:	1975	State of New Jersey
	1982	State of New York
Military Service:	U.S. Army Reserves, 1972-1980	
Experience:	1976-1977	Law Clerk Honorable Leonard I. Garth U.S. Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit
	1977-1981	Assistant U.S. Attorney District of New Jersey
	1981-1985	Assistant to the Solicitor General Department of Justice
	1985-1987	Deputy Assistant Attorney General Office of Legal Counsel Department of Justice
	March 18, 1987	United States Attorney District of New Jersey Attorney General Interim Appointment
Ethnic:	Caucasian	
Salary:	\$75,500	
Office:	United States Attorney's Office Federal Building 970 Broad Street, Room 502 (FTS) 348-2760	
Residence:	(201) 228-0525	

UNDER CONSIDERATION FOR APPOINTMENT AS
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

The White House,

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*To the
Senate of the United States.*

I nominate

Samuel A. Alito, Jr., of New Jersey,

to be United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey for

the term of four years, *VICE W. HUNT DUMONT,*

RESIGNED.

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

August 3, 1987

The President today announced his intention to nominate Samuel A. Alito, ^{JR} of New Jersey, to be the United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey for the term of four years. He would succeed W. Hunt Dumont.

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PRESS OFFICE ADVISED.